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Dr. Todd Swanson 14 Promontory Ridge Drive Las Vegas, NV 89135-1671

> Re: U.S. Patent Application Serial No.: 10/721,820

Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR TREATING SUPRACONDYLAR

FRACTURES OF THE FEMUR (Continuation Application)

Our Reference No.: SWANS.0003P

Dear Todd:

Enclosed is a copy of a Response to Office Action and Terminal Disclaimer I filed on your behalf with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office with respect to the above-referenced patent application. I would next expect to receive a Notice of Allowance of the application.

In the meantime, please do not hesitate to call me if you have any questions.

Very truly yours,

R. Scott Weide

Enclosure

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TO THE PROPERTY OF	plicant	:	Todd V. Swanson) Group Art Unit: 3733
	Appl. No.	:	10/721,820)
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	For	:	METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR TREATING SUPRACONDYLAR FRACTURES OF THE FEMUR) 22313-1450, on:) November 7/2006) Date
	Examiner	:	Pedro Philogene	R. Scott Weide (Reg. No. 37,755)

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is:

- (X) A Response to Office Action in 5 pages;
- A Terminal Disclaimer in 2 pages and check in the amount of \$65.00; and (X)
- (X) A return prepaid postcard.

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(X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Account No.: 502200. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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